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| TOTAL CLAIMS: | 41 - 20 = | | 21 | X 9=\$ 0 | | x 18 | x 18 = \$ 378 | |
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- 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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